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APPENDIX 13 WISCONSIN LEAD TESTING RESOURCES

Paint Testing and Environmental Evaluation:

Milwaukee Health Department, Environmental Health Unit evaluates lead hazards in Milwaukee residences where children have elevated blood lead levels: (414) 278-3538.

Local/county health departments may have limited capability to analyze lead in paint.

State Lab of Hygiene Toxicology Lab (608) 263-8160 and Milwaukee City Health Department (414) 278-3526 can test paint chips for lead content.

Blood:

Blood samples can be taken at any medical practice and in some local public health agencies and WIC clinics. For diagnostic blood lead analysis, these laboratories participate in national proficiency programs and have considerable experience:

State Lab, Toxicology	(608) 262-1146
West Allis Hospital Laboratory	(414) 546-6313
Milwaukee City Health Department	(414) 278-3526
Milwaukee Children's Hospital	(414) 266-2500
Marshfield Clinics	(715) 387-5317

Many of these labs, particularily the State Lab and Milwaukee City Health Department, provide advice on screening and blood testing.

Water: UW State Laboratory of Hygiene: (608) 262-1293

Department of Natural Resources certifies labs for water testing: (608) 266-0821

or DNR district offices.

Soil: UW Soils Lab: Madison (608) 262-4364 Milwaukee (414) 229-4894

Pottery: State Lab: (608) 262-1146

Milwaukee City Health Department Lab: (414) 278-3526

Occupational Exposures:

U.S. Department of Labor OSHA: Milwaukee (414) 297-3315
Appleton (414) 734-4521
Madison (608) 264-5388
Eau Claire (715) 832-9019

Wisconsin Division of Health: (608) 266-9383 Milwaukee City Health Department: (414) 278-3538

Home Testing Equipment for Pottery and Painted Surfaces:

Frandon: (800) 359-9000 Hybrivet: (800) 262-LEAD BGI: (617) 891-9380

General Information:

Wisconsin Division of Health: (608) 266-5885; regional offices or your local or county health department.